

### How about a Date?

- Jan. 1 – New Year’s Day  
Judy Anderson’s birthday  
Diana Newdall’s birthday
- Jan. 3 – Jean Metler’s birthday
- Jan. 4 – Rhonda Spinks’ birthday
- Jan. 5 – Justin Anderson’s birthday
- Jan. 8 – Bill Akins’ birthday
- Jan. 11 – Rob Buerk’s birthday
- Jan. 13 – Anita Holeman’s birthday
- Jan. 14 – RP Fire/EMS Board meeting, 7 PM
- Jan. 15 – Ann Ingalls’ birthday  
July BBQ organization meeting, 7 PM
- Jan. 17 – Jim & Christy McLaren’s anniversary
- Jan. 18 – Jan Swanson’s birthday
- Jan. 19 – Annie Wicklund’s birthday  
Scott Summers’ birthday  
Greg & Dee Sullivan’s anniversary
- Jan. 20 – Diane Grieb’s birthday
- Jan. 21 – Ted & Eileen Oswald’s anniversary  
Sharna Igou’s birthday
- Jan. 22 – Pete Cartwright’s birthday
- Jan. 24 – Karen Stellphelfue’s birthday  
Clay Williams’ birthday
- Jan. 25 – Debbie Hill’s birthday  
Debi Luther’s birthday
- Jan. 26 – Debbi Blodgett’s birthday
- Jan. 27 – Carol Brown’s birthday  
John Zeman’s birthday  
Mark Maddox’s birthday
- Jan. 29 – Loretta Snook’s birthday
- Jan. 29 – Ed & Rona Miranda, Jr.’s anniversary
- Jan. 31 – Eric & Tess Dillenger’s anniversary  
Jim Nickels’ birthday

### BUSINESS NEWS

**Fish Lake Resort** – Café open weekends; campground and store open. **949-8500.**

[www.FishLakeResort.net](http://www.FishLakeResort.net).

**Etc.** - Closed until spring **541 810-0008** ([www.solarcafeusa.com](http://www.solarcafeusa.com)).

**Crystalwood Lodge** – Open for full-lodge retreats and family gatherings throughout the year.

[info@crystalwoodlodge.com](mailto:info@crystalwoodlodge.com) or

**541-381-2322.**

**Lake of the Woods Resort** – Call or check the website for hours and offerings. **1-866-201-4194.**

[www.lakeofthewoodsresort.com](http://www.lakeofthewoodsresort.com).

**Rocky Point Resort** – **356-2287.**

**Odessa Store** – Open 8 AM – 6 PM, with groceries and quick-stop supplies, liquor store, propane, gas & diesel.

**Crater Lake B & B** – Open all year with lodging and great food by Janet. 866 517-9560

[www.craterlakebandb.com](http://www.craterlakebandb.com)

**Farmers Market** closed for the season.

**Dump open** – Tues, Fri., & Sat., 8:30 – 4

**Library & Quilt** – Tuesdays, 9 – noon.

Regional Calendar of events and electronic version of this

newsletter available at

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### ROCKY POINT FIRE/EMS BOARD

All Board members, fire chief, and 4 guests attended the November meeting. After opening routines, Greg Sullivan brought up concerns about flu shot billing, which Rita will investigate. Minutes were approved and treasurer’s report approved, leading to the Chief’s report.

Volunteers responded to 1 MVA, 2 smoke investigations, and 1 nuisance fire. The Chief added 1 monthly drill to the 2014 schedule and 1 weekly vehicle and equipment check. Vehicle 2172 has had lookers but no buyers, so advertisement will continue. Vehicle 2141 will be inspected for mechanical problems, with the goal to repair and eventually replace it with a mini pumper.

Old business covered the straight-across trade for the Chief’s vehicle and concerns about the publicity surrounding the Emergency Airlift/Ground Ambulance matter. The Board has documented its findings. Chief Koutouzos has been talking to potential department volunteers.

The Board discussed postings on mailboxes, examining the BOD Manual and Board member responsibilities, and how to supply fuel for the chief’s truck.

Before adjournment, the attendees reiterated how important it is for us to recruit new volunteers. Please consider serving the department. To find out more, call Chief John Koutouzos at 541 356-2205.

You’re welcome at any of the meetings the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month. *Meeting agenda is posted on the kiosk prior to each meeting. Minutes are posted at the fire hall kiosk, and complete meeting notes are available upon request at 356-2205. This Institution is an equal opportunity provider.*

**Reminder:** Three options for subscription medical transport service are available. Contact Rita for more information on how to subscribe, the coverage, and costs. (541 356-2233)

**More Fire Department News:** A special public meeting was held on Dec. 30 to address volunteer recruitment and staffing. Anybody unable to attend that meeting, or wanting to continue discussion, is invited to come to the January 14<sup>th</sup> Board meeting, 7 PM, Aspen Room. For notes on the Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> meeting, contact Board secretary, Rita, at 541 356-2233.

Speaking of **Rita**, congratulations to her on being named the fire department’s 2013 Citizen of the Year at their annual volunteer dinner, and she deserves it.

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**BBQ TIME ALREADY!**

Yep, timely planning is one of the things that makes this annual fundraiser a success, and the organizers are ready to go. Helpers and all interested folks are invited to the season's first organizational meeting, Wednesday, Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>, 7 PM, Aspen Room.

**LADIES' HOLIDAY LUNCHEON**

Another spectacular day! The men showered the women with excellent service and outstanding food. The table decorators hauled out their finery and made the social club look like the dining room of a 5-star restaurant. Thanks go to everyone who worked and attended. It genuinely is a warm and festive time for our community.

**FYI**

County officials came to Rocky Point in December, to provide information on the county's solid waste disposal program and elicit suggestions and input on how best to service garbage disposal in the Rocky Point area. They're analyzing options now and will make a decision later in the year. Anybody interested in the notes from that meeting may call or email 541 356-2236, [rustm@fireserve.net](mailto:rustm@fireserve.net).

The Fort Klamath Store is under new ownership, and extensive remodeling has been completed in the business as well as in the living quarters. Owners are now advertising for someone to lease the business. Interested potential entrepreneurs may request additional information at [fortklamath@gmail.com](mailto:fortklamath@gmail.com).

**RUNNIN' AROUND**

Seems like most locals stayed put in December and relatives came to Rocky Point for the holidays. **Sullivans** did spend

Christmas in California, spoiling their granddaughter, who they brought back home with them. **Luthers** also enjoyed grandchildren time in Idaho. Congratulations to **Linda Garrison**, who attended the wedding of her youngest daughter Katy.

**GENERAL HOSPITAL**

We wish **Dwight Tracy, Greg Metler, and Ken Anderson** quick and complete recovery from conditions that landed them in the hospital.

**CONDOLENCES**

. . .To the **Mirandas**, following the death of Eddie's dad. And to the **Wicklunds**, whose sweet dog Sally endured a list of physical problems as long as she could.

**LOCAL BUSINESS NEWS**

**Lake of the Woods Resort** is now on winter hours, so check their website or call. Don't forget about ice fishing (which is really good right now) and winter fun opportunities. The resort operates weekends and sells non Oxy Gas 92 octane gas. George has his expanded snow shoe rentals.

**Etc. Gallery** will be closed until spring, but if you want any of their gift items, call Tess and she'll be happy to meet you at the Solar Café building (541 810-0008). Tess, Joy, Helen, Edwin, Holly, & Andy thank you for your support.

**Quilting Sisters** is open and ready to supply all your quilting needs. 541 356-2218.

**FROM THE READERS**

**NEED EGGS?**

Holly & Andy, 707 354-1254

**NEED TO BE PRETTIER?**

Mary Kay products available in Rocky Point  
Lots of inventory , delivery available  
541 601 4286

**NEED HELP?**

Pet care, house check in,  
Chores & errands, outdoor & yard work,  
Wood stacking & sawing.  
REASONABLE RELIABLE  
Call Richard & Rhonda  
541 356-0930

**NEED MORE HELP?**

Sean Voelker will do odd jobs –  
Yard maintenance, clean-up,  
Miscellaneous jobs.  
541 591-9389

**NEED A JOB?**

Tow truck driver job opening  
Call 541 238-4110 for details

**FOR SALE**

2007 Suzuki ATV 450 with tracks, winch,  
and snow blade. Low usage. Paid \$12K new.  
Will sell for \$7000. 503-910-9051.

**FOR SALE**

Two snowmobiles,  
1991 Arctic Cat Prowler  
1984 Yamaha SS440,  
with a two place trailer \$2000, nice sleds.  
541-884-3065

**FOR SALE**

Sunquest tanning bed, Model PRO24FF  
\$1500  
1996 GMC Yukon, 4-wheel drive  
New tires, \$1500  
541 356-2218

**SNOW?**

Call Mike for winter snowplowing.  
541 356-2105

Storage units for rent  
**Mountain Lakes Storage**  
541 356-2400

Road grading & aggregate delivery  
General site work, septic  
541 783-2575

[www.morelloconstructionllc.com](http://www.morelloconstructionllc.com)

**Rocky Point Towing**

Local service – towing, tire change, fuel  
delivery, lock out, jump start, off-road  
recovery, snowplowing  
541 238-4110

**JLB Services**

Commercial, vacation home, residential,  
and construction cleaning  
Licensed & bonded  
541 419-2535

**CAN YOU HELP?**

Klamath and Lake Community Action Services will host a Family Support Day the end of January. The goal is to assist the truly homeless and those critically at risk of becoming homeless. At this event, 200 – 250 attendees will be provided a hot meal, a chance to take a shower, and warm clothing.

Rocky Point's Quilt Group has been invited to participate, by helping provide new or gently-used warm clothing and blankets. If you'd like to contribute, rummage through those items you no longer need and add them to the items already collected. Drop items off at the Aspen Room any Tuesday morning, or call Julie at 541 356-2550.